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FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD, NO. 102. meets every Friday night at their hall in the Schmidt building west of Fountain Square, at eight o'clock. Visiting members are cordially welcome. Jas. N. Cook, president: Jas. R. Lowe, secretary.

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EDMEN MEET IN FRATERNAL everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. O. G. Schaefer and fourth Thursday, sleep at the eighth REDMEN MEET IN FRATERNAL fourth Thursday, sleep at the eighth run. Visiting brothers always well come to the wigwam James R. Lowe sachem; Walte H. Davis. chief of records and collector of

E. ROSENWALD Lodge No. 545, 1 O. B. B .- Meets every first Wednesday of the month in the vestry room of Temple Monteflore, Doug ias avenue and Ninth street. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. Ohns Greenclay, president; Rabb! A 2. Raisin, secretary.

Emeterio Espinosa, a well known theep raiser at Abiquiu, visited Santa Fe on business.

W. F. Grisham of the firm of Gris ham & Miller of Trinidad was m Raton buying horses.

C. Cronemeyer, a merchant of Alentown, Ariz., was in Albuquerque on a short business visit.

Captain Fred Fornoff, of the territorial mounted police has gone on an official visit to Clovis and Portales. Territorial Auditor W. G. Sargent left Santa Fe for a visit to his former home at El Rito, Rio Arriba coun-

Territorial Secretary Nathan Jaffa left Santa Fe for Trinidad, Crlo., to attend the funeral of his uncle, Samnel Jaffa.

Miss Grace Uittman and sister, accompanied by the children of Mrs. W. K. Hodges, arrived in Duran from Alamogordo.

W. T. Davis, auditor for the Western Union Telegraph company, with his headquarters in Denver, was in Santa Fe on business.

Dr. J. J. Shuler returned to Raton from Denver and Colorado Springs where he spent a short time with his daughter, Mlss Winnifred.

William A. Beyer of Albuquerque has left for Santa Fe, where he has accepted a position as accountant it. the territorial penitentiary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, who made Duran their home for about a year, left for Oklahoma City, where Office: Veeder Block, Las Vegas, New they will reside in the future.

Dr. M. D. Welsh, physician and surgeon for the Domingo Lumber company at Pines, N. M., arrived in Albuquerque from Pena Blanca.

C. W. Clowes, of Salt Lake City, has gone to Santa Fe to take charge of the Western Union telegraph office there, vice E. C. Cooke, resigned.

The body of G. H. Jones, whose death occurred in Albuquerque, was shipped to Elmira, N. 7., accompanie 1 by the wife and two children of the lends support to the view that college dead man.

Hydrographer J. B. Stewart, of the territorial engineer's office, has returned to Santa Fe from an official versity course established on the lines trip that took him to all sections of bia. the territory.

Gustav Friebus, chief of architecture of the U.S. Indian service, arrived in Santa Fe to make a general dian school.

Perfecto Salazar, day operator for the Western Union Telegraph company at Albuquerque, left for Trinidad where he will remain for a few weeks visiting. William N. McGugin, organizer for

the Order of Owjs, left Albuquerque for Clovis and other towns along the Belen cut-off, where he will install ests of the order.

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, als in Santa Fe. Mr. Viehhaueser goes there to accept a position with the Wood Davis company.

, Frank W. Pierce, inspector general of the Scottish Rite Masonry in California, was given an informal recepand strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harm-ful drugs and is pleasant to take. O. tion and smoker at Albuquerque. He went to El Paso from Albuquerque.

F. E. Sullivan, a newspaper man and for several years Washington correspondent for the Chlcago Chronicle, is in Albuquerque, accompanied by his wife from Washington, D. C. C. F. Remsberg, A. L. Hobbs, and Ben Sherrod returned to Raton !:011 a three days' trip in the former's auto through Dawson, Cimarron, Miami, Sprinker, French and Maxwell City.

Mrs. Frank Ackerman left Albuquerque for Kirkwood, Ill., where she was called by the death of her brother, David Salter. Mrs. D. A. Bronson of the Duke City is a daughter

querque and will open law offices there in the near future. Mr. Hall for some time past has been practicing law in Gallup.

A most interesting article from the per of Clinton J. Crandall appeared in the April number of the Indian Craftsman, and was beautifully illustrated with scenes familiar in this part of New Mexico.

Montrose W. Hayes, formerly section director of the weather office at Santa Fe left for Cairo, Ill., the new station to which he was recently asigned. At Cairo he will have the title of "local forecaster."

The C. S. Morey Mercantile com

pany of Denver which has just filed

neorporation papers with a capital of of \$250,000 in Santa Fe has named W. W. D. Bryan as New Mem co agout with headquarters in Albuquerque. Mrs. M. P. Stamm of Albuquerque s entertaining Mrs. Lucy McClellan who for many years was a resident of Albuquerque, but who has made her home in Los Angeles for the past few years, Mrs. McClellan is en route for Golden, Colo., where she will vis-

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College Course in Politics. To Columbia university belongs the credit of offering the first course designed to give students a practical knowledge of the conduct of political affairs. That institution has asked their efforts.-From the Grocer. the bureau of municipal research in New York to give the members of the class the benefit of the experience it Heaven. has derived from the study of the affairs of that city, and the invitation has been accepted. The growing demand for the adoption of the scientific methods of city governments -Chicago Record-Herald. men will be in demand in this de partment of the public service, hence

Haitians a Lazy Lot.

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Sydney Brooks, writing to the London Chronicle about Haiti, says the inspection of the buildings at the In- Haitians were the first people in the world to abolish slavery, and Mrs. C. R. Miller, writing in Leslie's Weekly, says of Haiti: "In that little republic, covering about 10,000 square miles within five days' sail of New York, one may encounter more strange complica tions and a greater disregard for hu man life than in the remote countries of the east. Situated in the very heart of the West Indies, where civilization exists in a high degree Haiti alone has kept her doors clos to progress. She became an indepen Louis Viehhaueser and wife of Min-cola, Long Island, were recent arriv-Her rich lands were already under culthe plantations to go to ruin, and forests have grown up instead."

> Farm Employment for Criminals. Gov. Harris of Ohio believes that criminals can be employed on a farm with advantage to themselves and the state. He proposes that prisoners in the penitentiary who are not con firmed criminals be transferred to the reformatory and put to work on the state farm. "It is the conditions of our cities that breed crime," says the governor. "Most of it can be traced to idleness and drink, and idleness is frequently the cause of drink. There is little drink in the country and practically no idleness. If the young man who had slipped over the bounds of a law were taught scientific farming he would come to like it and escape the associates who carry him down when he returns to the city."

John Morro has returned to Raton from a two weeks' stay at his ranch in the northeastern part of Colfax county.

Courage at the Counter. Success never yet came to the man who lost courage at the first rebuff; but many men have courted failure by allowing the inevitable disappoint ments of an imperfect world to check

The desire to get to heaven would be more general than it is if a good many people were not of the opinion that the gold with which the streets there are paved must be nailed down.

Water thrown upon ice in the arctic regions will crack it, just as boiling water breaks glass. This happens be-cause the ice is so much colder than the water.

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Passive Virtue Discredited, I cannot praise a fugitive and clois-tered virtue, unexercised and un-breathed, that never sallies out and seeks her adversary.—Milton.

Rubber is a queer product. It thrives best in the hottest countries in the tropics, yet it cannot stand heat.

Charity and Love.
Without dew and light flowers fade. Charity and love are the dew and light of the human heart.-Mme. de Gentis.

Money and Knowledge. Money and knowledge are wholly unlike in that the less knowledge one has the easier it is to pick up more. -Chicago Record-Herald.

Ravages of Field Vermin. The department of agriculture esti-mates that the ravages of field mice and rats entail a direct loss of \$20,000,-000 annually.

Olive Oil for Books. Olive oil rubbed over the library shelves will, it is said, prevent the mildewing of the books.

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